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HARQ PROCESSES

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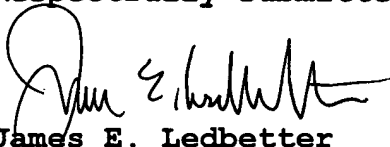
Pursuant to Rules 56 and 99, Applicants hereby call the attention of the Patent Office to the references listed on the attached Form PTO 1449.

Applicants present this art so that the Patent Office may, in the first instance, determine any relevancy thereof to the presently claimed invention, see Beckman Instruments, Inc. v. Chemtronics, Inc., 439 F.2d 1369, 1380, 165 USPQ 355, 364 (5th Cir. 1970). Also see Patent Office Rules 104 and 106. 3GPP TR 25.848 is discussed in the present application on page 2, line 2, et seq. The Ghosh, et al. article is discussed in the present application on page 2, line 3, et seq. And 3GPP TS 25.308 is discussed in the present application on page 4, line 13, et seq. The year of publication of the Ghosh, et al. reference is sufficiently earlier

than the effective U.S. filing date and any foreign priority date so that the particular month of publication is not in issue.

Applicants respectfully request that this art be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application and made of record herein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue herefrom.

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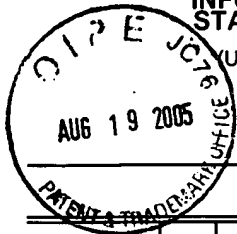
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